## **EXHIBIT 1**

Golightly & Vannah vs. Hamlett, et al. Case No. 3:16-cv-00144-MMD-VPC

SUPPLEMENT TO JOINT STATUS REPORT

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15	a minor; REGIONAL EMERGENCY	INTERPLEADER						
16	MEDICAL SERVICE AUTHORITY;							
17	CHRISTIAN PURGASON, D.O., dba NORTHERN NEVADA EMERGENCY							
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# UNIVERSAL SERVICES, INC.'S ANSWER TO COMPLAINT IN INTERPLEADER

COMES NOW Defendant UNIVERSAL SERVICES, INC., by and through its attorneys Mark J. Bourassa, Esq. and Trent L. Richards, Esq. of The Bourassa Law Group, LLC, and, in response to the Complaint in Interpleader, hereby admits, denies and alleges as follows:

- 1. Answering Defendant UNIVERSAL SERVICES, INC. is without sufficient knowledge or information necessary to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in paragraph(s) 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11 of Plaintiff's Complaint in Interpleader and therefore denies the same.
- 2. As to paragraph 12 of Plaintiff's Complaint in Interpleader, Answering Defendant UNIVERSAL SERVICES, INC. was and is at all times mentioned herein, a foreign corporation and assignee of the claims of Reno Orthopaedic Clinic. A true and correct copy of the Individual Assignment of Account Receivable is attached hereto as *Exhibit 1*.
- 3. Answering Defendant UNIVERSAL SERVICES, INC. is without sufficient knowledge or information necessary to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in paragraph(s) 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, and 21 of Plaintiff's Complaint in Interpleader and therefore denies the same.
- 4. Answering Defendant UNIVERSAL SERVICES, INC. hereby admits the allegations contained in paragraph(s) 22 of Plaintiff's Complaint in Interpleader as to Jessica Hamlett. This Answering Defendant is without sufficient knowledge or information necessary to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the remaining allegations and therefore denies the same.
- 5. Answering Defendant UNIVERSAL SERVICES, INC. is without sufficient knowledge or information necessary to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in paragraph(s) 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 of Plaintiff's Complaint in Interpleader and therefore denies the same.

- 6. As to paragraph 33 of Plaintiff's Complaint in Interpleader, Answering Defendant UNIVERSAL SERVICES, INC. hereby admits that it is owed One Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty-Eight Dollars (\$1,728.00) pursuant to that certain Individual Assignment of Account Receivable, assigning said amounts to Defendant UNIVERSAL SERVICES, INC. A true and correct copy of the Individual Assignment of Account Receivable is attached hereto as *Exhibit 1*. A true and correct copy of the Invoice detailing amounts owing is attached hereto as *Exhibit 2*.
- 7. Answering Defendant UNIVERSAL SERVICES, INC. is without sufficient knowledge or information necessary to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in paragraph(s) 33 and 34 of Plaintiff's Complaint in Interpleader and therefore denies the same.

### **AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES**

- 1. Plaintiff has failed to state a claim of action against answering Defendant upon which relief can be granted.
- 2. Defendant UNIVERSAL SERVICES, INC. holds a lien against any personal injury settlement proceeds of Jessica Hamlett for the full amount of the billed charges and costs originally incurred. Said billed charges and costs incurred by Jessica Hamlett were for medical care and services provided to her in direct relation to the injury(ies) Jessica Hamlett sustained as a result of an automobile accident.
- 3. Answering Defendant alleges that it has been necessary to employ the services of The Bourassa Law Group to defend this action, and a reasonable sum should be allowed to answering Defendant for attorney's fees, together with costs expended in this action, pursuant to the Medical Lien Subrogation Contract executed by Jessica Hamlett.
- 4. Pursuant to NRCP 11, as amended, all possible affirmative defenses may not have been alleged herein insofar as sufficient facts were not available after reasonable inquiry upon the filing of this Answer, and therefore, this answering Defendant reserves the right to

amend this Answer to allege additional Affirmative Defenses if subsequent investigation so warrants.

### PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHEREFORE, answering Defendant prays for judgment as follows:

- 1. That Defendant UNIVERSAL SERVICES, INC. be awarded the sum of One Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty-Eight Dollars (\$1,728.00), for medical services rendered to Defendant Jessica Hamlett;
- 2. That Defendant UNIVERSAL SERVICES, INC. be awarded reasonable attorney's fees and costs in defending this action pursuant to contract; and
  - 3. For such other and further relief as the Court may deem just and proper.

## **AFFIRMATION PURSUANT TO NRS 239B.030**

The undersigned does hereby affirm that the preceding document does not contain the social security number of any person.

DATED this 447 day of April, 2016.

THE BOURASSA LAW GROUP, LLC

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Attorneys for Universal Services, Inc.

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing UNIVERSAL SERVICES, INC.'S ANSWER TO COMPLAINT IN INTERPLEADER was served by mailing a copy thereof, first class mail, postage prepaid, this <a href="tel:19">19</a> day of April, 2016 as follows:

Golightly & Vannah, PLLC 5555 S Kietzke Lane, Suite 150 Reno NV 89511 Attorneys for Plaintiff

An employee of

The Bourassa Law Group

## INDEX OF EXHIBITS

Individual Assignment of Account Receivable 1 page excluding exhibit cover sheet Exhibit 1.

Universal Services, Inc.'s Statement Exhibit 2.

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## Individual Assignment of Account Receivable

This Individual Assignment of Account Receivable ("Individual Assignment") is subject to the terms and definitions of the Master Assignment Agreement executed by Reno Orthopaedic Clinic ("Provider") and Universal Services, Inc., on 7/31/2009. Provider declares that the information contained in this Individual Assignment is true and correct and that this Qualifying Patient's Account Receivable is not delinquent or in default as of the date of this instrument. Provider further declares that this Qualifying Patient's Account Receivable is presently held as follows:

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## RADIOLOGICAL CONSULTATION

Patient Name: Hamlett, Jessica L Exam Date: 09/05/2013 1:47 PM MRN: 0809188 RENOWN IMAGING - RENO ORTHOPAEDIC CLINIC

Ordering Provider: Allen, Timothy J, D.C.

#### **Final Results Report**

EXAMINATION: MR-LUMBAR SPINE-W/O [MR7624] Accession #: 7552438 Order #: 74218240

Noncontrast MR examination of the lumbar spine

HISTORY/REASON FOR EXAM: Motor vehicle accident and low back pain

TECHNIQUE/EXAM DESCRIPTION:

MRI of the lumbar spine without contrast, 9/5/2013 1:08 PM.

The study was performed on a G.E. Signa 1.5 Tesla MRI scanner. T1 sagittal, T2 fast spin-echo sagittal, and T2 axial images were obtained of the lumbar spine.

COMPARISON: None.

FINDINGS:

The lumbar spine maintains normal height and alignment. There is no neoplastic bone lesion. There is no fracture or dislocation.

The visualized lower thoracic spinal cord appeared normal. There is no intradural lesion. Prominent uterus is seen.

At the level of L5-S1, there is asymmetric disk bulge and facet joint arthropathy. There is mild to moderate bilateral neural foraminal stenosis.

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Please contact the interpreting radiologist or any other Reno Radiological Associates radiologist if you have any questions about this report. We also welcome any other radiology related questions or comments. RRA is the most sub-specialized radiology group in northern Nevada, and you can contact us 24 hours a day, 7 days a week at Renown Medical Center - (773) 982-4492.

Renown X-Ray and Imaging-ROC 10085 Double R Blvd Suite 145 Reno, NV 89521-4867 Patient Name: Hamlett, Jessica L

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Medical Record Number: 0809188

CSN: 8505162833

Ordering Provider: Allan, Timothy J, D.C.

Ordering Address: 6155 Neil Rd

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At the level of L4-5, there is minimal disk bulge without significant spinal or neural foraminal stenosis. There is annular tissure in the bulging disk.

At the level of L3-4, there is no spinal or neural foraminal stenosis .

At the level of the L2-3, there is no spinal or neural foraminal stenosis.

At the level of L1-2, there is no spinal or neural foraminal stenosis.

The conus terminates at the level of L1.

The visualized pre-and paraspinal soft tissues appear normal.

#### IMPRESSION:

Mild degenerative disease in the lumbar spine as described above.

INTERPRETING LOCATION: 1155 MILL ST, RENO NV, 89502

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